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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re the Application of

Atsushi MURAKAMI et al.

Group Art Unit: 2853

Application No.: 10/671,832

Examiner:

J. HUFFMAN

Filed: September 29, 2003

Docket No.:

117250

For:

ELECTRONIC DEVICE HAVING

MAIL STOP RCE

DETACHABLE CONTROLLER

LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR

CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicants hereby request continued examination.

Applicants further request entry and consideration of the submission filed May 22, 2006.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 180675 in the amount of \boxtimes \$790.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

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